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### UNITED STATED PATENTS

<u>PATENTEE</u>	PATENT NO.	ISSUE DATE
Rufo, Sr., et al.	5,096,064	March 17, 1992
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The above-referenced documents are listed on PTO Form 1449. Each of the references cited above were cited in an International Search Report. Copies of the references are enclosed for the Examiner's ease of review.

Applicant is not aware of any other references to be identified at this time. If the Examiner has any questions or comments relating to the present application, he or she is respectfully invited to contact Applicant's attorney at the telephone number set forth below.

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